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Where the battle was the
hottest, where the need
was the sorest, there
came C. K. B. And
he was a host in himself.
Times almost numberless,
in ^{my} nearly 20 years
concerning nothing but
work, have I seen him
take the whole brunt
of the contest, &
with his unaided power
~~overcome~~ — unaided, save by
that omnipotence in
which he believed
none the less in that he
was not much given
to ~~parading~~ talking
about it — overcome
all opposition.

And how calm, how
self-possessed, how
sweet his spirit, always.
How steady the flow of
his argument, how
~~clear~~ the march of his
^{strong} logic, how irresistible
as he went on the tide
of his ^{convincing} ~~reasoning~~ eloquence.

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(2)

How thoroughly we
trusted in his fairness
& honor; for he never
quibbled & never took
a small advantage of
an opponent. In the
midst of his most earnest
debate, his self-
possession ~~fully~~ remained,
and he would do full
justice to the opponent
~~before he~~ then
proceed, with added
power, to his complete
victory. For we might
say, with little danger
of mistake, that he
was always right,
and ^{so was} always
victorious.

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reminiscences

His relig. discourses
in his meetings
- better I never heard,
more keen & clear
opportunities for the
feature & spirit of
S. M. Feb. I never
met with

you here
Know well how
truly he expounded the
best word & spirit of
Xtly - of that supremacy
& perfect expan. of religion

How great your loss, words
are poor to tell